

as to prevent stock passing over the bridge across the run of said swamp.

SEC. 7. This act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

Ratified the 6th day of March, A. D. 1877.

CHAPTER LXI.

AN ACT REQUIRING BEEF CATTLE, CARRIED TO THE TOWN OF WILMINGTON TO BE WEIGHED.

To be weighed.

SECTION 1. *The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact*, That the mayor and commissioners of the town of Wilmington be and they are hereby authorized and required to cause live beef cattle, carried to said town for sale, to be weighed before the same are sold in market.

Penalty.

SEC. 2. That any and all persons buying or selling beef cattle in said town, in violation of the first section of this act, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be fined not more than fifty dollars or imprisoned not more than thirty days.

SEC. 3. That this act shall be in force from and after the first day of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

Ratified the 6th day of March, A. D. 1877.

CHAPTER LXII.

AN ACT TO PUNISH THE FELLING OF TIMBERS IN THE TENNESSEE RIVER, IN THE COUNTY OF MACON.

Unlawful to fell
timbers in Ten-
nessee river.

SECTION 1. *The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact*, That it shall be unlawful for any person wilful-